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Applicant

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: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR PRESENTING A LOTTERY INTERFACE IN AN INTERACTIVE

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action dated December 12, 2002. With the extension, a response is due on or before June 12, 2003. A check in the amount of \$930.00, in payment of the three-month extension fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

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